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BY THEIR WORKS.

Defenders of Mr. Borden's scheme are seeking hope in the fact that some Australian newspapers have approved of it. Maritime, of course, Australia is proceeding with the development of the Australian navy on the lines laid down by Sir Wilfrid Laurier for the creation of a Canadian navy. Doubtless there are in Australia some who would rather contribute borrowed money to Great Britain than co-operate actually and actively in naval defense, but they are a small minority. There is reason to think those in this country who hold similar views are also in the minority.

SHAMMING.

Some newspaper critics affect to be greatly shocked at Sir Wilfrid Laurier's candid declaration that "When England is at war we are at war." But it does not follow that because we are at war we are in conflict.

There is a good deal more humming than shuck in the attitude of these critics. They are shamming stupidity for the sake of shaming a particularly sensible and patriotic man. They have only to go back to the days when Sir John Macdonald was premier to find verification of the truth of Sir Wilfrid's statement. England was then at war in Egypt, and Canada as a Dominion of Britain was theoretically at war as a matter of course. The fact that Sir John Macdonald refused to allow her to engage in the conflict, Mr. Borden's scheme for giving three empty ships to the Admiralty offers another illustration. Suppose the ships were given and Britain and Germany went to war. Theoretically, of course, Canada would be at war with Germany, but Canada would not be in the conflict. Neither Canadian nor Canadian men would be in the firing line. Canada would not even supply powder for the ships she had "donated." Though at war and liable to all the penalties of war, we would not be in the conflict, because our Government and Parliament had decided that we should not be.

Sir Wilfrid's statement is only a frank declaration that the defense forces of Canada are under the control of Canada's Government and Parliament and must continue to be so if we are to continue to be self-governing. That is not a doctrine to shock anybody. It is never questioned so far as the land forces are concerned. Why pretend to see some meaning in it when sea forces are under discussion?

"BUFFALOED."

The first round of the naval debate ended on Thursday with the adjournment of Parliament for the holidays. The Ministers will hardly claim to think that the advantage has been with them. Had they thought this they would not have found it necessary to put up Sir Foster to talk against the lack on closing day, and to so prevent the Opposition having the last word. Even so they did not succeed, for Mr. Githrie found time between the close of Mr. Foster's speech and the hour for adjournment to challenge the Government to bring in a redistribution bill and submit the naval proposal to the electors. Not that anything will come of the challenge. The Ministers have no stomach for an appeal to the voters. They have refused to redistribute the seats because they think that with the added representation given Western Canada the Opposition would be more

likely to drive them into an election. The reception of their naval proposal and the course of the debate in Parliament have not been such as to overcome their apprehensions of what a popular verdict would be. Considering by whom the blowing and puffing has been done, there is reason to think that the scheme for spending thirty-five million dollars to meet an emergency which does not exist—and which is responsible party claims to exist—has failed to commend itself to the common sense of the electors. The longer it is considered the less favorable must be the popular opinion. Having refused to allow redistribution before they had become involved in this new mistake, there is small likelihood of the Ministers consenting to redistribution now or in the immediate future unless driven to it. Whether it produces anything more or not, Mr. Githrie's challenge should serve to impress upon the public understanding the real position in which the Ministers stand. Loudly as they have been boasting their footing is very insecure and they know it.

Remarked on the Side

Of the four wives of an alleged socialist, it is said to be the common folk would imagine that from such a crowd one would hardly be missed. The question arises, would a man in such a case refer to the partners of his life and associate collectively as "My Minnie" or "My Minnie's"?

J. Pierpont Morgan thinks that all the banks in Christendom could not make a monopoly that would control money. Probably he is sincerely glad of it, because if there were not a little money left in the control of common folk, people like J. P. would have nothing to strive for.

During Mr. Borden's absence on a Christmas holiday Hon. Geo. E. Foster will act in his stead, and be a sort of interim premier, taking special interest in the emergency department.

With a view to having other streets, especially in Saskatoon has been suggested a plan for the suppression of handbills, forgetting that the same plan would also suppress the handbills of the "Moose" and "My Minnie's".

By a slip of the pen a correspondent refers to the Balkan people willing to drive Turkey from Europe. The allies of course, right Turkey, just where it is.

The fact that I saw him was very likely, I doubtless, without this necessary to say, he was truly in an unusual case—proving that though he claimed to be sober, his head must have been slightly unsteady.

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 plated frame with Guernsey lining

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Eskimos Defeat Acme Team Two New Players Look Good

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DICK HYLAND WILL BOX IN EASTERN CITIES

Representatives of Brown and Hyland Meet to Discuss Details

Special to the Bulletin.

Calgary, Dec. 20.—Representatives of Dick Hyland and Ted Brown met with Tommy Hearn tonight at the latter's home for the Christmas day bout. Brown was agreed to step back at the fall to knock and not defend around the referee, as he did at Edmonton last night. Hyland agreed that not more than four thicknesses of tape should be wound around the hands. Dick was agreeable to not defend around the referee, as he did at Edmonton last night. The official weight will be on hand to see that the boys are not more than two ounces above 125 at ringside.

RECEIVED DEATH SURPRISE

Saskatoon, Dec. 20.—Tommy Murphy, of Saskatoon, collapsed in the sixth round of a scheduled ten-round bout with three rounds to go down in defeat by a score of 11 to 1. It was a pretty exhibition of hockey and had the crowd on its feet most of the night. After that, Murphy commenced to feel the effects of the terrible kidney punches, and in the sixth round he was so far gone that he put up his hand and said he had had enough. Murphy's showing, although the Chicago bout was a big surprise. It was the first bout ever staged in Saskatoon. Murphy's showing, although the Chicago bout was a big surprise. It was the first bout ever staged in Saskatoon.

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ESKIMOS WON FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON

Acme-Revillon Hockey Team on the Short End of a 14 to 4 Score.

CROWD OF 500 SAW INTERESTING GAME

Addition of Schlegel and Jim Sutherland Makes Champions Look Strong.

Many the arrivals of Don, McFarlane, Pettis, Newman and Harry Allen, the Eskimos had no difficulty in defeating the Acme-Revelion team at the Eskimo rink last night. Although still a little shy on condition, the Eskimos looked like the winners of old and when the old machine gear working in numerous form it will be many percent stronger.

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At half-time the score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the Eskimos, and the spectators, who were expected to be loyal supporters of the Acme team, were expecting a close game.

The Acme team, on the whole, looks stronger than last winter and will be the team to beat for the championship. McFarlane, Newman and Harry Allen, the Eskimos had no difficulty in defeating the Acme-Revelion team at the Eskimo rink last night. Although still a little shy on condition, the Eskimos looked like the winners of old and when the old machine gear working in numerous form it will be many percent stronger.

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